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TAGS: CASC, RICHARD YARGER

SUBJ: W/W RICHARD YARGER

REF STATE 243651, COLOMBO 3046

1. YARGER HAS REQUESTED TAYLOR ANTIQUES SEVERAL TMES TEL-
GRAPHICALLY TO TRANSFER MONEY BUT WITH NO RESPONSE. IN VIEW
HEALTH AND FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES, EMBASSY RECOMMENDS ACTION
ON APPLICATION FOR REPATRIATION AND SUBSISTENCE LOAN, SUMMARIZED
BELOW FOR DEPT'S APPROVAL. EMBASSY BELIEVES IT ADVISABLE FOR
YARGER TO RETURN TO US PROMPTLY AND PROPOSES ROUTING DIRECT
TO EUROPEAN CIMP ON FOREIGN CARRIER AND TRANSFER TO US FLAG
CARRIER. YARGER CAN PROBABLY TRAVEL ALONE IF NUMBER TRANS-
FERS AND STOPOVERS REDUCED TO MINIMUM.

2. APPLICATION FOR FUNDS FOR SUBSISTENCE AND REPATRIATION:
NAME: RICHARD WILLIAM YARGER, BORN 15 NOV 1909 IN PENNSYLVANIA.
PPT D 1361766; NO DEPENDENTS. YARGER RESIDED ABROAD FROM
JUNE 1973 TO PRESENT IN SRI LANKA. MOST RECENT RESIDENCE IN
US AT 740 SAN ESTEBAN, CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA. DESIRES TO RETURN
TO ADDRESS ABOVE, WHERE SISTER LUCILLE FAUL LIVES. RELATIVES
WHO MAY BE WILLING TO ASSIST ARE: JEROME FAUL, NEPHEW, LANS-
DALE, PENNSYLVANIA; LUCILLE FAUL, SISTER, CORAL GABLES,
FLORIDA, AND HERMAN FAUL, BROTHER, NORTH WALES, PENNSYLVANIA.

3. (APPLICATION) CONTINUED YARGER SAYS HEAD NOT OBTAINED USG
SUBSISTENCE OR REPATRIATION FUNDS PREVIOUSLY. ESTIMATED US DOLLAR
AMOUNT: TOTAL \$830.00; TRANSPORTATION -- US \$750.00 COLOMBO TO
NEW YOK: SUBSISTENCE: \$8.00 PER DAY BEGINNING 10 DEC 1973.

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NO REAL PROPERTY. PERSONAL PROPERTY: LUGGAGE VALUED AT US \$50.00

JEWELRY VALUED AT US \$5,000 WITH YARGER IN SRI LANKA. (COMMENT:
ESTIMATE MAY BE EXAGGERATED, BUT IN ANY EVENT, IT IS IMPOSS-
IBLE TO CONVERT JEWELRY INTO HARD CURRENCY FOR PURCHASE OF
TICKET IN CEYLON.) SAVINGS
ACCOUNT 31-064869 AT FIRST FEDERAL
SAVINGS BANK OF CORAL GABLES FLORIDA -- US 547.00. SOCIAL
SECURITY BENEFITS US \$100.00 MONTHLY, SS NUMBER NOT KNOWN.

4. CONSIDERING YARGER'S MENTAL AND PHYSICAL CONDITION AND THAT
HE WILL ARRIVE IN US WITHOUT FUNDS, HEW ASSISTANCE WILL PROBABLY BE
REQUIRED. YARGER HAS SUFFEREND TWO HEART ATTACKS, AND SKULL
FACTURE HAS LEFT SYMPTOMS OF ID EOCIATION. PSYCHIATRIST DESCRIBES
YARGER AS "HYPOMANIC". IS FAMILY IN PENNSYLVANIA ABLE TO MEET
YARGER?

5. YARGER HAS SIGNED APPLICATION WHICH IS BEING POUCHED TO
DEPT. REQUEST DEPT TELEGRAPHICALLY APPROVE ISSUANCE OF FUNDS
FOR SUBSISTENCE AND REPATRIATION TRAVEL.
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